

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Messoud Benantar		
Assignee:	International Business Machines Corporation		
Title:	Method and System for Network Single Sign-on Using a Public Key Certificate and an Associated Attribute Certificate		
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE DECISION OF THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD  
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND REQUEST FOR REVIEW**

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal the Final Rejection of Claims 1-26 in the Examiner's Final Office Action of July 2, 2007, to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

Enclosed is a Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review with attached statement of reasons.

The Notice of Appeal Fee is being paid electronically via the USPTO EFS. Please deduct any additional fee which may be necessary or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

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Respectfully submitted,

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